GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA

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Travel Advisory on account of Yellow Fever
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether any travel advisory has been put in place regarding the travel to/from yellow fever affected countries; and
(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) and (b): As per information received from the Ministry of Health, all travellers arriving in India within 6 days of departure from any yellow fever endemic country are required to possess (in original) a yellow fever certificate of vaccination or prophylaxis as per the model released by World Health Organisation from a yellow fever vaccination centre designated by the country.

Further, Ministry of Health also informs that all passengers who want to visit Yellow Fever (YF) endemic countries are advised to take the YF vaccination even though they may return to India within 6 days because they have to produce a YF certificate of vaccination on their arrival in India to avoid enforcement of quarantine procedures/regulations.

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